

# Economist II

## Economist II

|                         |  |
|-------------------------|--|
| Agency Name:            | <b>Dept. of Public Utilities</b>           |
| Official Title:         | <b>Economist II</b>                        |
| Functional Title:       | <b>Economist II</b>                        |
| Occupational Group:     | <b>Other</b>                               |
| Position Type:          | <b>CS – Civil Service</b>                  |
| Full-Time or Part-Time: | <b>Full-Time</b>                           |
| Salary Range:           | <b>\$50,014.90 to \$72,079.02 Annually</b> |
| Bargaining Unit:        | <b>06</b>                                  |
| Shift:                  | <b>Day</b>                                 |
| Confidential:           | <b>No</b>                                  |
| Number Of Vacancies:    | <b>1</b>                                   |
| City/Town:              | <b>Boston</b>                              |
| Region:                 | <b>BOSTON</b>                              |
| Facility Location:      | <b>One South Station</b>                   |
| Application Deadline:   | <b>03-20-2014</b>                          |
| Apply Online:           | <b>Yes</b>                                 |
| Posting ID:             | <b>J40133</b>                              |

***This position is funded from the Commonwealth's annual operating budget.***

---

### Duties:

The Economist applies a broad mix of economic and public policy skills in analyzing issues and cases before the DPU. He/she will work both individually and as a team member with other economists, accountants, and attorneys on a wide range of cases, including: reviewing electric, gas, and water utility filings for changes in base rate revenue requirements and rate structures, other electricity surcharges, and financing petitions. The position requires competency in cross-examining company and intervention witnesses. Reviewing, analyzing, and preparing oral and written recommendations for the Commission on utility requests for changes in base rate revenue requirements, base revenue allocations, rate design, other surcharges, as well as financing agreements. The Economist also participates in all facets of assigned cases, including developing information requests, questioning expert witnesses during hearings, drafting memoranda and policy recommendations, as well as writing sections of DPU orders.

### Qualifications:

#### Minimum Entrance Requirements:

Applicants must have at least (A) three years of full-time, or equivalent part-time, professional experience in the field of economics, or (B) any equivalent combination of the required experience and the substitutions below.

#### Substitutions:

I. A Bachelor's degree with a major in economics may be substituted for a maximum of two years of the required experience.\*

II. A Graduate degree with a major in economics may be substituted for the required experience.\*

III. A Bachelor's or higher degree with a major other than in economics may be substituted for a maximum of one year of the required experience.\*

Special Requirements: None.

**How To Apply:**

Apply Online

**If you are applying for this position on-line, you must create a profile and [log in](#).**

If not applying on-line, please submit via email to: DPU-HR@State.MA.US

\*If submitting via email Subject Line should read; Last Name, First Name – Job Title, Job Posting #J40133

Department of Public Utilities  
Human Resources Division  
One South Station, 5th Floor  
Boston, MA 02110

To ensure consideration, resume and cover letter must be postmarked by midnight on the deadline date.  
Please reference posting #J40133 on all correspondence.

Please help our environment by applying electronically. Thank you!

Agency Web Address:

[www.mass.gov/dpu](http://www.mass.gov/dpu)

Diversity Officer:

Wesley Layne (617) 305-3636

An Equal Opportunity/Affirmative Action Employer.

Females, minorities, veterans, and persons with disabilities are strongly encouraged to apply.